

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Applicants : Arnulf I. Simmon and Brett Donahue
Serial No. : 09/821,761
Filed : March 29, 2001
Title of Invention : HANDHELD PORTABLE DATA TERMINAL HAVING AN
INTEGRATED CODE READER FOR DATA ENTRY AND AN
EVENT-DRIVEN TOUCH-SCREEN ENABLED GRAPHICAL
USER INTERFACE
Examiner : Mussa Shaawat
Group Art Unit : 2128
Attorney Docket : 108-102USANCO

Honorable Commissioner of Patents
and Trademarks
Washington, DC 20231

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED SEPTEMBER 20, 2004

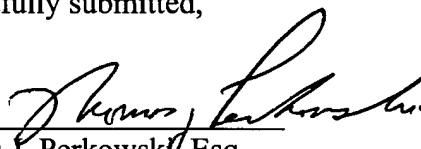
Sir:

In lieu of a response to the Office Action mailed in the present Application on September 20, 2004, Applicants submit herewith a Petition for Extension of Time and Thomas J. Perkowski, Esq., P.C. Check No. 4819 in the amount of \$1020.00. Applicants have filed a new Continuation Application based on the above-referenced U.S. Application, in order to continue prosecution of the inventive matter set forth herein.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee deficiencies to Deposit Account No. 16-1340. A copy of this document is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: March 16, 2005


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